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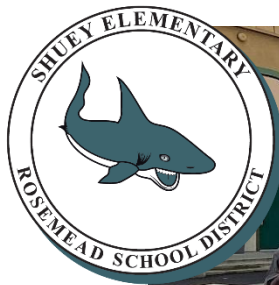
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Rosemead School District Celebrates Emma W. Shuey Elementary School Science Olympiad Team for its Victory at the 2025 Regional Science Olympiad Competition

Rosemead, California – Emma W. Shuey Elementary School is proud to announce the outstanding success of its Science Olympiad teams. They earned both Gold and Silver medals at the 2025 Regional Science Olympiad Competition, held on Saturday, April 26, 2025, at Temple City High School. Facing off against 55 teams from across the region, the Shuey Sharks showcased their exceptional talent in STEM through 16 rigorous, team-based events covering biology, chemistry, physics, engineering, and earth science.

This marks the second consecutive year that Shuey has brought home both top honors—an impressive testament to the school's continued pursuit of academic excellence and innovative learning.

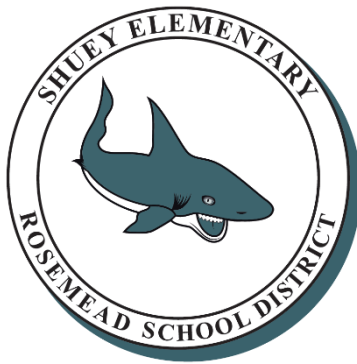
The school credits much of this success to Mr. Chris Yu, the dedicated Science Olympiad coach who has spent countless hours preparing students with twice-weekly practices and guidance in both complex academic content and hands-on engineering design. The Shuey team was comprised of the following students: Aiden Su, Andrea Jimenez, Annie Tan, Ayden Suko, Caleb Ly, Dylan Tran, Isabelle Farias, Ivan Huang, Jason Ta, Jayson Vo, Jocelyn Lam, Kazef Liang, Kendrick Kim, Kinson Chen, Kyle Goldstein, Liam Wong, Mia Nguyen, Mindy Tran, Nathan Chen, Nikita Huynh, Ryan Xu, Scarlett Lopez, Sean Cao, Sichen (Andy) Ge, Sophia Lopez, and Ted Tian.



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“I am incredibly proud of our students and deeply grateful for Mr. Yu’s commitment to their growth,” said Dr. Debra Boeve, Principal of Emma W. Shuey. “He has created a program that not only develops STEM skills but also builds confidence, resilience, and a love of learning. These victories are a reflection of his efforts and our students' extraordinary dedication.”

Mr. Yu also shared his excitement and pride in his team’s accomplishments: “Sending two teams to the Elementary Science Olympiad Tournament for the second consecutive year and achieving both Silver and Gold is a tremendous accomplishment for these students! It adds to the growing collection of medals Shuey Shark students have earned over the years. None of it would have been possible without the collective effort from these dedicated students, the unwavering support from their families, and the leadership of Dr. Boeve. This team of lively and determined Shuey Sharks has persevered throughout our after-school practices—and it’s finally paid off. Congratulations to all of you for always Setting the Pace at Shuey!”



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Science Olympiad is one of the nation's most prestigious academic competitions, designed to foster critical thinking, scientific literacy, and teamwork. Shuey's continued success in this arena underscores its mission to nurture curiosity, creativity, and leadership among its students.

Congratulations to our remarkable Shuey Sharks, and heartfelt thanks to Mr. Yu, our families, and the entire school community for making this achievement possible. The future of STEM is brighter than ever at Emma W. Shuey Elementary!

"We are incredibly proud of the Shuey Sharks for their outstanding performance at the Regional Science Olympiad," said Mrs. Diane Benitez, Board President of the Rosemead School District. "Their achievement reflects the excellence we strive for across our district—where students are challenged, inspired, and supported every step of the way. Congratulations to the students, Mr. Yu, and the entire Shuey community for this well-deserved success."

"The success of Emma W. Shuey's Science Olympiad teams is a shining example of what happens when passion, perseverance, and purpose come together," said Dr. Philip D'Agostino, Superintendent of the Rosemead School District. "Our students demonstrated not only academic excellence but also the collaborative spirit and problem-solving skills that will serve them well into the future. We are incredibly proud of their achievement and grateful to Mr. Yu and the entire Shuey staff for fostering such an inspiring learning environment."

On behalf of the Rosemead School District, we congratulate each of our Science Olympiad team members on their accomplishments.

ABOUT THE ROSEMEAD SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Rosemead School District (RSD) serves students who reside in Rosemead, as well as portions of El Monte, San Gabriel, and Temple City. RSD serves 2,431 students in four PK-6 elementary schools (Encinita, Mildred B. Janson, Savannah, and Emma W. Shuey Elementary Schools) and one 7-8 middle school (Muscatel Middle School). We are proud partners with the City of Rosemead and deeply value our responsibility to serve our community and its children.

For more information about the Rosemead School District, please visit www.rosemead.k12.ca.us. For more information about school educational programs, please contact the Educational Services Department at (626) 312-2900, extension 213.

To learn more about the Mandarin Dual Language Immersion (DLI) program at Encinita Elementary School, visit <https://www.rosemead.k12.ca.us/domain/321>. We encourage everyone to follow the Rosemead School District through the free Rosemead Mobile App and download it today (for instructions, visit <https://www.rosemead.k12.ca.us>). Stay informed about the great things happening at the Rosemead School District via Twitter [@CommunicateRSD](https://twitter.com/CommunicateRSD).

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